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FOI: NOVEL TETRACYCLIC ARYLSULFONYL INDOLES HAVING SEROTONIN RECEPTOR AFFINITY USEFUL AS THERAPEUTIC AGENTS, PROCESS FOR THEIR PREPARATION AND PHARMACEUTICAL

COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM

RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 24, 2009, please amend the aboveidentified U.S. patent application as follows:

A Listing of the Claims is provided as a courtesy beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.